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Dedicating the Terry Miller Gallery of the Chamber of the Alaska Senate to Cliff Groh.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE:

WHEREAS Senator Cliff Groh's qualities of diplomacy and intelligence won him leadership of the Senate Finance Committee in 1973; and

WHEREAS Cliff Groh helped lead the fight for statehood as a founder of "Little Men for Statehood" and as the first chair of "Operation Statehood"; and

WHEREAS Cliff Groh's hometown of Anchorage honored him as its School Board President, Mayor Pro-Tem, and Charter Commission Chair; and

WHEREAS Cliff Groh is fondly remembered for his annual portrayal, in stovepipe hat and frock coat, of Abraham Lincoln because Cliff not only looked and talked like the Great Emancipator, but Cliff's integrity, sense of humor, and compassion likened them to each other in the minds of many;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Senate that, upon the effective date of a bill passed by the Twenty-First Alaska State Legislature and enacted into law naming Capital School in Juneau as the Terry Miller Legislative Office Building, the public gallery of the

chamber of the Senate that is now known as the Terry Miller Gallery be dedicated to Senator Cliff Groh; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that a bronze plaque shall be placed on the door of the gallery designating it as the Cliff Groh Gallery.